

# **Lodge Pole Pine**

#### REFERENCE MATERIAL

# **Pedigree**

Institution: Tricon Lumber Received at INL: 2014

Location: Mineral County, MT Sample Preparation: Ground 2-inch chips to pass through a 1-inch sieve

Harvested: 2014 using a Vermeer BG480 grinder then material was dried in a drum dryer

# **Composition**

**Table 1.** Chemical composition<sup>a</sup> of Reference Lodge Pole Pine

%Structural Ash	%Extractable Inorganics	%Structural Protein	%Extractable Protein	%Water Extracted Glucan <sup>b</sup>	
0.27	0.13	0.35	0.06	0.13	
%Water Extracted Xylan <sup>b</sup>	%Water Extractives Others	%EtOH Extractives	%Lignin	%Glucan	
0.04	2.39	1.74	30.50	41.37	
%Xylan	%Galactan	%Arabinan+Mannan <sup>c</sup>	%Acetic Acid	%Total	
5.90	2.84	12.30	1.17	99.18	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup>Determined using NREL "Summative Mass Closure" LAP (NREL/TP-510-48087)

# **Proximate, Ultimate & Calorimetry**

**Table 2.** Proximate, ultimate, and calorific values for Reference Lodge Pole Pine (reported on a dry basis)

Proximate <sup>a</sup>			Ultimate <sup>b</sup>			<b>Calorimetry</b> <sup>c</sup>	
%Volatile	%Ash	%Fixed Carbon	%Hydrogen	%Carbon	%Nitrogen	HHV	LHV
84.50	1.08	14.41	6.06	50.14	Below detection limit	8760	7371

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup>Proximate analysis was done according to ASTM D 5142-09

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup>Determined by HPLC following an acid hydrolysis of the water extractives

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup>%Arabinan value includes %mannan, because arabinose and mannose co-elute on the HPLC column

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup>Ultimate analysis was conducted using a modified ASTM D5373-10 method (Flour and Plant Tissue Method) that uses a slightly different burn profile

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup>Heating values (HHV, LHV) were determined with a calorimeter using ASTM D5865-10

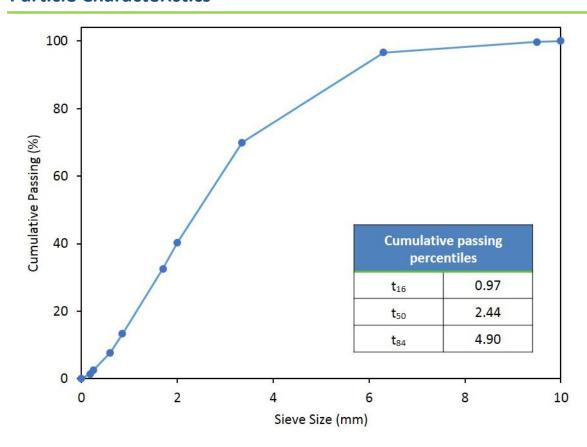
# **Elemental Ash**

**Table 3.** Elemental ash composition<sup>a</sup> of Reference Lodge Pole Pine

%Al as Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	%Ca as CaO	%Fe as Fe <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	%K as K₂O		%Mn as MnO			%Si as SiO₂	%Ti as TiO₂	%S as SO₃
5.19	10.98	6.87	7.63	3.24	0.53	6.94	1.57	44.26	0.23	3.19

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup>Determined as described in ASTM standards D3174, D3682 and D6349

### **Particle Characteristics**



**Figure 1.** Cumulative passing percent of 1-inch Reference Lodge Pole Pine determined according to ANSI/ASAE S319.4 using a Ro-Tap test sieve shaker (Model RX-29, W.S. Tyler) and a 15 minute total sieving time. The cumulative passing percentile sieve sizes (e.g.,  $t_{16}$ ) were calculated by interpolation and represent theoretical sieve sizes that would retain 16, 50 or 84% of the particles by mass.

### **Contact**

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